

EU PACKAGING AND PACKAGING WASTE REGULATION TESA STATEMENT

April 2026

Dear Customer,

The EU Packaging and Packaging Waste Regulation (PPWR), entering into force in February 2025, aims to reduce packaging waste, promote reuse and recycling, and ensure all packaging is sustainable and circular.

The PPWR applies to all goods made available on the EU market and sets requirements for all items that meet its definition of packaging. For products that do not meet the definition of packaging when placed on the market but are subsequently made available for the first time in a member state as packaging by another economic operator, then that economic operator shall be the producer of packaging for those items.

As a manufacturer through either design or brand, tesa intends for all packaging items placed on the market to comply with the requirements set out in articles 5 to 12 of the PPWR. Declarations of conformity will be prepared for all affected packaging items. From August 2026 all packaging items will conform with substance of concern limits set in article 5, and a conformity statement is available for customers to declare items as conform with article 5 when subsequently bringing them to market as packaging. Items placed on the market by tesa are not intended for direct or indirect food contact.

From August 2028, all packaging items will comply with the harmonised labelling requirements in article 12, subject to the publication of the relevant methodology, expected in August 2026.

From January 2030, all packaging items will comply with remaining sustainability requirements, subject to the publication of methodologies. tesa will be able to provide relevant data and documentation by January 2030.

The expected dates of publication of these methodologies are:

- Recyclability (article 6) from August 2026
- Recycled content for plastic packaging (article 7) from January 2027
- Packaging minimization (article 10) from February 2027
- Re-use packaging (article 11) from February 2027 and June 2027 (regarding article 30)
- Bioplastic content (article 8) from February 2028
- Excessive packaging (article 24) from February 2028

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Regulatory Data Sheet

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tesa® 57953-00000-00

Safety information

The above-mentioned product is an article according to Article 3 of the REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006. In accordance with REACH Article 33, there is no legal requirement to provide a safety data sheet for an article. Nevertheless, please find attached to this regulatory data sheet a general safety information sheet for the above-mentioned product.

Prohibitions and Restrictions

Substances of very High Concern (SVHC)

The above-mentioned product does not contain substances mentioned in the current version of the Candidate List of substances of very high concern (SVHC) published on November 5, 2025.

SCIP

A SCIP notification is not required according to the Waste Framework Directive 2008/98/EC as no SVHC substances above 0.1 wt% are contained in the above-mentioned product.

EU REACH Annex XIV

The above-mentioned product does not contain substances mentioned in Annex XIV to the REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 and its amendments in concentrations ≥ 0.1 wt%.

EU REACH Annex XVII

The above-mentioned product does not contain substances mentioned in Annex XVII to the REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 and its amendments in concentrations above the limits specified therein.

WEEE directive (2012/19/EU)

The above-mentioned product does not exceed the maximum concentration limits of the substances mentioned in WEEE directive (2012/19/EU).

RoHS directive 2011/65/EU incl. RoHS directive III 2015/863/EU, China RoHS GB/T 26572-2011

The above-mentioned product does not exceed the maximum concentration limits of the substances mentioned in RoHS directive 2011/65/EU incl. RoHS directive III 2015/863/EU and China RoHS GB/T 26572-2011.

Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) Regulation (EC) 2019/1021

The above-mentioned product does not contain reportable substances (banned or to be declared) listed in the POPs Regulation (EC) 2019/1021, as amended by Regulation (EU)

2020/784, in concentrations above the limits specified therein. This regulation implements the obligations of the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants, which aims to eliminate or restrict the production and use of persistent organic pollutants globally.

Ozone-depleting substances Regulation (EC) No 2024/590

The above-mentioned product does not contain reportable substances listed in the Regulation (EU) 2024/590 on substances that deplete the ozone layer in concentrations above the limits specified therein.

European packaging and packaging waste Regulation (EU) 94/62 incl. Directive (EU) 2018/852

The above-mentioned product does not contain reportable substances listed in the Directive (EU) 2018/852 Article 11 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 2018-05-30 amending Directive 94/62/EC on packaging and packaging waste in concentrations above the limits specified therein.

Biocides Regulation (EU) No 528/2012

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Synthetic polymer Microparticles: Commission Regulation (EU) 2023/2055 and REACH, Annex XVII (78)

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Dual-Use-Substances REGULATION (EU) 2023/2616 of 15 September 2023 amending Regulation (EU) 2021/821

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Food Allergies REGULATION (EU) 1169/2011 of 25 October 2011 amending Regulation (EU) 1924/2006

The above-mentioned product does not contain food allergen(s) mentioned in the Regulation (EU) 1169/2011, Annex II.

Safe drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act: California Proposition 65

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Toxic Substances Control Act 1976 (TSCA), section 6 Regulation of Chemicals

The above-mentioned product does not contain the following substances in concentrations ≥ 0.1 % (w/w), mentioned under the Toxic Substances Control Act 1976 section 6 or in concentrations above the limits specified therein:

Phenol, isopropylated phosphate (3:1) (PIP (3:1), CAS 68937-41-7;

Hexachlorobutadiene HCBd, CAS 87-68-3;

Decabromodiphenyl Ether decaBDE, CAS 1163-19-5;

Pentachlorothiophenol PCTP, CAS 133-49-3;

2,4,6-Tri-tert-butylphenol 2,4,6-TTBP, CAS 732-26-3;

Trichloroethylene, CAS 79-01-6;

Tetrachloroethylene, CAS 127-18-4;

Carbon tetrachloride, CAS 56-23-5

Conflict Minerals

The above-mentioned product does not contain the following Conflict Minerals:

Gold
Tungsten
Tantalum
Tin
Cobalt
Mica

Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)

The above-mentioned product does not contain reportable substances as defined by the OECD in 2021.

Global automotive declarable substance list (GADSL)

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Nanoparticles as per definition of the European Commission

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Halogen Free - International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) 61249-2-21 standard

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Chlorinated and Brominated Flame retardants

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Bisphenol A, BADGE, NOGE, BFDGE

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Cancerogenic, Mutagenic and reprotoxic (CMR) Substances

CMR EU:

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

CMR US:

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Silicone

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Phthalates

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Latex

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Antimony

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Beryllium

The above-mentioned product does not contain Beryllium.

Mineral oil

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Halal/Kosher/ substances of animal origin

The above-mentioned product is an industrially manufactured product and has not been certified to meet the Halal or Kosher requirements.

Currently, data is being collected and assessed. For this specific info, please contact regulatory.affairs@tesa.com.

Asbestos

The above-mentioned product does not contain Asbestos.

Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH)

The above-mentioned product does not contain Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons.

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Safety Information Sheet for Articles

Identification of the article and the company

Trade name: tesa® 57953-00000-00

Manufacturer/Supplier: tesa SE
Hugo-Kirchberg-Straße 1
22848 Norderstedt
Germany

Informing department: tesa SE, Corporate Regulatory Affairs,
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Safety information for articles

The majority of adhesive tapes produced by tesa® qualify as articles under the definition provided in the REACH Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006. In accordance with REACH Article 33, there is no legal requirement to provide a safety data sheet for an article. The comprehensive information typically shared within a safety data sheet can be found in tesa® safety information sheets.

We would like to emphasize that these information sheets are voluntary and do are not subject to the requirements of the REACH regulation.

Hazard Identification

Not applicable

Composition / Information on ingredients

Chemical characterization:
Backing: PP
Adhesive: Mixture of polyacrylate and additives

First aid measures

No special measures required.

Firefighting measures

Suitable extinguishing agents: CO₂, extinguishing powder, or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet. Use appropriate firefighting measures.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture: Can be released in case of fire:

Nitrogen oxide (NO_x)
Carbon monoxide (CO)
In some fire situations, it is possible that additional harmful gases may be present.

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Put on breathing apparatus.

Do not inhale explosion gases or combustion gases.

Accidental release measures

No special measures required.

Collect mechanically.

Handling and storage

No special measures required.

Exposure controls/personal protections

Breathing equipment: Use respiratory protection in case of insufficient ventilation

Hand protection: Protective gloves

Eye/face protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Work clothes (closed, long-sleeved)

Physical and chemical properties

Form: solid

Stability and reactivity

Not applicable.

Toxicological information

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Ecological information

No further relevant information available.

Disposal considerations

Disposal according to official regulations.

Transport information

Not applicable. Not dangerous according to the specifications mentioned above.

Regulatory information

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

FOOD CONTACT STATEMENT

tesa® 57953-00000-00

tesa® 57953-00000-00 has not been formulated to come into contact with food /the packed content.

Being a technical product, it has not been manufactured under Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) (EU Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006) conditions and therefore does neither fulfill the provisions of the German Food and Feed Code (LFBG), Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 of the European Parliament or COM-MISSION REGULATION (EU) No 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food, nor US FDA CFR 21.

The user must ensure that the tape does not come in direct food contact.

As the above-mentioned product is a purely technical product tesa SE has not performed any migration tests or compliance checks for the use as a food contact material in any food contact related application.

For any application involving *indirect* food contact, tesa SE must emphasize that it is the responsibility of the user to always ensure the presence of a functional barrier. This barrier must comply with the relevant regulations for the specific application to prevent any migration of potentially harmful substances into the food.

It is within the responsibility of the final food contact material manufacturer, that the finished food contact material does not transfer its constituents to food in quantities which could endanger human health or bring about an unacceptable change in the composition of the food or bring about deterioration in the organoleptic characteristics thereof.

The user must ensure the suitability of the product for the intended product application.

The assessment was performed, based on suppliers' declarations and raw material specifications, to the best of our knowledge and current state of knowledge. No further tests were carried out.

This statement is valid from the date of issue of this document and overwrites any previously issued version.

Other information

We certify that the above information and statements, including but not limited to the product composition data, are valid and correct to the best of our knowledge. We have implemented systems to the best of our ability to ensure that tesa® products are compliant to global environmental regulations and laws. However, not all materials in our products may have been independently tested for their substance content, therefore we cannot assure the correctness and validity of these information and statements. We are also not in a position to make statements or provide information about our customers' products in which tesa® products are incorporated, unless the relevant information and statements are exceptionally included (marked) above.

In the event of any issues arising from the information and/or statements contained in this document, our General Terms and Conditions of Sale (Terms & Conditions - tesa®) shall apply.

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CONFORMITY STATEMENT

Packaging and Packaging Waste Regulation (EU) No. 2025/40 (PPWR) of 19 December 2024

We confirm that tesa packaging items and items marketed for use as packaging, comply with the requirements of article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2025/40 (PPWR). This includes compliance with the applicable threshold limits for heavy metals as set out in Annex XVII to Regulation (EU) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

Please take note: The products referred to in the above paragraph are not intended for direct or indirect food contact within the meaning of Regulation (EU) No. 1935/2004 and its subsequent amendments including Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011, unless such food contact suitability is separately and explicitly confirmed by tesa SE.

Disclaimer

We certify that the above declaration is made in good faith based on our current state of knowledge and information provided by suppliers.

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